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PACKARD, North Norway, Maine.

a Man and Wife

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Norway Municipal Court.

On Monday a hearing was had before the Norway municipal court on an application of Charles F. Bower, agent for the protection of animals, for an order to destroy an old, lame horse, alleged to be unfit for use, the property of Albert Shattuck.

The matter was contested on the ground that the lameness was caused by a bone spavin, and that it caused him little or no pain. After the examination of a large number of witnesses the judge ordered the horse destroyed, from which order the defendant appealed.

Smith for the state.

Holt and Swasey for the defense.

John Farrell of Portland was arraigned and pleaded guilty to being a tramp on complaint of D. S. Sanborn. He was sentenced to sixty days at hard labor in the county jail.

Frank A. Danforth is laid up with a sprained foot.

Mrs. Emma Swan, who has been very sick, is gaining slowly.

Ellie S. Swan has visited her brother, Arthur H. Swan, at Bridgton.

At a meeting of the school board Thursday afternoon, W. F. Jones was chosen supervisor.

Mrs. Wright Bisbee, of North Adams, Mass., for many years a resident of Norway, is in a hospital for an operation for a fibroid tumor.

William Libby informs us that he is not going to Boston to work on the street cars, all stories to the contrary notwithstanding.

Were you aware that the ADVERTISER has double the circulation in this county of any other paper published in the county. Let your name be known to our readers. It will cost you but little and is pretty sure to bring results.

Allen J. Crocker died at his home on Pleasant Street, South Paris, last Friday. Mr. Crocker was a native of Portland, born in 1823, but lived in Norway nearly all his life. He married Hannah L. Millett. They had one son, Allen Trowbridge Crocker of this town. After the death of his first wife, he married Mrs. Louise Smith, who survives. He also leaves three brothers, George Crocker of Norway, John Crocker of Livermore and Cyrus Crocker of Wadleigh, N. H. Mr. Crocker a private in Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry in the late war and belonged to Harry Rust G. A. R. Post of Norway. The funeral was held Sunday. Rev. J. H. Roberts of Pleasantdale officiated. The Grand Army comrades attended in a body and had charge of the services.

Henry M. Judkins died at his home on upper Main Street, Tuesday forenoon. He had been in feeble health for a number of years, and confined to the house nearly all of this winter. He was born in Greenwood, July 11, 1839. He served in the 29th Maine Volunteers, from March, 1863, to the close of the civil war and drew a pension for disabilities received in the service. Since the war he lived in Norway with the exception of several years' residence in Bethel. He married Davis, Esther. They had twelve children, eight of whom are living. He married second Evelyn Waterhouse, who survives. They have had two children. The funeral was held at the residence, Thursday. Rev. B. S. Riddout officiated. Interment at West Bethel.

William Cox, the oldest man in town, died, Friday, March 12, aged 88 years, 8 months and 12 days. He was a resident of North Norway and much respected by all who knew him. He was a son of William Cox, who came to Norway from Chatham, N. H., and was in trade with Increase Robinson. William Cox, Jr., was one of a family of fourteen brothers and sisters. He married Elizabeth S. Millett of Norway, more than fifty-seven years ago, who lives to return her son about 84 together with receipts and papers. He did not find out his loss until the next day after the book was dropped to the hogs.

Ralph Herrick, Greenwood, who lives on Patch mountain and in a very pretty place, was in town recently. He paid for his paper and remarked, "When we old fellows are gone no one will live on our places, they are too far back. Where those two big elms are was the old Patch farm, and when I was a boy was the best farm in town." The buildings are now gone and the farm is nearly run out.

F. H. Noyes is reported to have saved a life. He discovered, late Saturday night the lifeless form of a young man lying in the passageway near the Blue store, who evidently had been overcome with weariness in endeavoring to carry a big load of stuffer foot extract to his boarding house, and had laid down on the snow and ice. Frank acted the part of the good samaritan and brought the young man to consciousness, and got him safely home, load and all.

The Pansy club gave a whist party to 60 of their friends Wednesday evening, in G. A. R. hall. If you are in Norway and don't know the Pansy club you have missed some of the pleasantest acquaintances this life affords. Of course their party was a time of enjoyment. They had a couple of hours, and the fair hostesses were very cordial. There was alert for the pleasure of their guests. Each was given a boutonniere of pansies and fragrant geranium leaves. A treat of harlequin ice cream, cake and lemonade was daintily served.

This Thursday evening the Colby university glee club, orchestra, and band and guitar club gives a concert in the Congregational church. This is beyond doubt the finest amateur concert organization in the state, and gives an entertainment that is pleasing indeed. With the troupe are Master Fred Kenniston, the phenomenal boy soprano; C. E. G. Shannon, cornetist; and H. G. Robbins, reedist. Those who like a good concert with lively, cheerful music, should attend. The program is substantially as follows:

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Coming Events.

March 18—Colby Glee Club, Congregational church, Norway.
March 18—Maine Missionary Society field day, Congregational church, South Paris.
March 19—Athletic exhibition and concert by Bates college students, Norway Opera House.
March 20—Birth day party, Methodist church, Norway.
April 2—Pomona Grange, South Paris.

New Advertisements.

Room wanted.
Agents wanted.
Faint, P. P. Stone.
Sanley Shoe Store.
Optician, Vivian W. Hills.
Notice, Selectmen of Norway.
Cut in Rubbers, Smith & Flood.
Millinery, Mrs. E. G. Skillings.
Notice of pasturing, Ray Bros.
New Goods, Noyes & Andrews.
Straw Matting, Chas. F. Ridlon.
Violet, Oxford County Shoe Store.
Tucker's Harness and Trunk Store.
Lumbermen, Paris Manufacturing Co.
New Carpets, N. Dayton Hotel & Co.
Semi-Annual Announcement, Blue Store.
Opening New Goods, S. B. & Z. S. Prince.

We have concluded to continue our club arrangement with the Three-Times-a-Week World for 60 days longer, and if you want that paper and the ADVERTISER you can have them for \$2.50.

All arrears to the ADVERTISER must be paid in full. We will accept payment on arrears for clubbing purposes at the \$1.50 per year rate.
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Moses Harriman of Fryeburg has had an increase of pension. Jason F. Rowe of Norway has his pension renewed and increased.

Don C. Seitz sends us the spring advertising announcement of the New York World. They are planning an enormous Easter edition.

If the Paris Manufacturing company owes you anything for lumber they request you to call and get your pay between the 23d and 27th. See ad.

The annual State library report is at hand. From it we learn there are five free public libraries in Oxford county, one each at Andover, Grafton, Norway, Oxford and North Paris.

Dr. Ernest O. Cobb of Minot died at his home, Sunday night. The funeral was held at the church, Wednesday at 10 a. m. He had been ill for about two weeks. He was a well-known man in Androscoggin county and had a large practice in Minot, Poland and New Gloucester.

UFTON.

Will Sargent is out from the woods. The schools have closed for a vacation. Henry Lombard jammed his foot quite badly.

John Brown has gone to the hospital for treatment.
Mrs. William Holman, who has been sick, is recovering.

Fred Ellingwood has gone to South Paris on business.
Joe Brooks is hauling hay from the George Abbott place.

Delia Morse has gone over to Jimmie Gibbs' to teach school.
Gerry Brooks is home from Gould academy, on a vacation.

Laforest Bragg has finished his job in the woods and moved out.
U. S. G. Abbott of Norway visited in this place the past two weeks.

Arthur Strickland is to get the steamboat wood for Capt. Douglass.
Frank Bartlett, the photographer of Norway, was in town last week, delivering pictures.

Oscar Morse has gone to Andover to make catdows for Thurston brothers. He boards at Mr. Downs'.
Woodmen report the finding of several dead deer in the woods. They are supposed to have been killed by ice.

H. T. Chase finished in the woods on Wednesday. He has a lame horse he is talking of leaving in the woods until it gets better.

Ed Coburn, proprietor of Anglers' Retreat, Middle dam, passed through here, en route to New York to attend the sportsmen's exhibition.

George Otis' and Charles Chase's teams recently collided, damaging Chase's sleigh about \$2; no price put on the damage to Charles' feelings.

J. P. West is keeping old bachelor's hall again this winter, his wife staying with her son Paul in Errol, where she has a large stock of cattle and sheep to care for.

Miss Otis, the teacher at the mills, invited the parents in Thursday. This is a small school, but the children and their teacher have evidently worked as a look at their books testify, and the learned to read quite sentences in writing.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Mrs. Eliza Gordon has partially recovered from her recent illness.
The wind after the storm, Sunday, has drifted the roads badly about town.

Charles Johnson of Fryeburg village, takes Charles Wiley's place as master of the poor farm, this year.

At the meeting of the School Committee, Mar. 18, James Hobbs was chosen Superintendent of schools.

Joseph Johnson has taken Mr. Nickerson's farm (the old Page place) and moved his family into the house, last week.

LOVELL.

Bertha Harriman of Fryeburg is visiting in town.

S. R. Andrews and wife have visited at Bridgton.

O. N. Eastman was at Waterford and Stonelaun, Saturday.

A cow belonging to Mellen Eastman gave birth, Saturday, to twin calves.

The drama "Under the Laurels" is to be played at North Fryeburg, Monday night.

The members of Kezar Valley Lodge, L. O. E. F., gave an oyster supper at their hall, Saturday evening. There were 150 present and a fine supper was served. The evening was very pleasantly spent with music, games and conversation.

Teachers for summer schools have been assigned as follows:

Village District, Lillian Lord.
No. Four District, Minnie Hobbs.
Center District, Blanche Russell.
Siab City District, Fannie Hubbard.
North Lovell District, Eva Martin.
West Lovell District, Sargent Stearns.
Foxboro District, Emma McAllister.

They are saving dove stock at the mill.

Heald has let his farm to his son-in-law, Lester Stearns.

At a meeting of the school board S. F. Heald was elected supervisor.

Lots of our people are sick with bad colds, but are on the gain at present.

Adelbert McAllister is working at the Iron Mountain house, Jackson, N. H.

A number of Fryeburg Odd Fellows visited Kezar Valley lodge of this town March 5.

Frank Emery has been hauling potatoes to Bridgton. He is one of our best farmers.

W. A. Eastman of Auburn will move back here the first of April. He owns a house and blacksmith shop here.

Thomas McIntire of Fryeburg was in town last week. He has been sick for a long time, and cannot use one of his hands now, but is gaining.

It seems that I have got myself into trouble with the fair sex. In regard to the rug question I believe that man should be a friend to woman. No family circle is complete without a woman. She is like a glad landscape to the weary eye. The telephone is a great invention. It is a good thing to talk at, summer into and deposit profanity in, but to take up a conversation and keep it up and follow a man out through the front door with it, the telephone has yet much to learn. My wife has got a fine rug, one after her own heart, and if I do not apologize I am afraid she will run away and take that rug with her. In the making of the rug I have not lost but three pair of pants and two coats, and my wardrobe looks as hard times had struck Lovell. But it is all right. I have no fault to find. It might have been worse, for I have had no late dinners, and my note is just as good for 30 days as ever.

HALE.

The grip is quite prevalent here.

The scholars at the Poplar hill school-house last Saturday night.

A fine deer was seen running down Swift river for about two miles past the writer's house, last week on the ice.

Many horse loads of brick pass by the writer's house from Dixfield, going to Andover. They are going to build something there.

A train of 18 cars loaded with logs on the R. F. & R. L. road left the track just below Gum corner in Byron, last week. No one was hurt as we can learn; 75 car loads of logs or more pass over this road daily.

Will Kimball of Rumford bought a pair of oxen of R. L. Taylor last week.

A Mr. Trask of Livermore bought a pair of John Perry of Byron, and a pair of Allen Philbrick of Roxbury, last week. It looks as though oxen would be scarce in this section in the future.

All the teams here are rushing the birch and other lumber to the mills on Swift river. We think there will be a much larger amount hauled than any previous winter. Mason brothers' crew will break camp this week, where they have a crew hauling birch in Roxbury.

SUMNER.

N. M. Varney lost a colt, last week.

Flora E. Sturtevant is sick with the grip.

G. F. Dyer and wife and Mrs. W. E. Bowker are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dyer went to Peru, last week.

C. B. Tuttle, wife and daughter have gone to Livermore on a visit.

Wm. Russell is moving on to his farm that he recently bought of Mrs. Rebecca Russell. Mrs. Russell will remain on the place at present.

Col. Perrin Dudley.

Death of the Staunch Old Patriot of Woodstock—Sketch of an Honorable Life.

Perrin, son of David and Chirity (Tuell) Dudley, was born in Paris, Feb. 3, 1803. When he was seventeen years old, his parents moved to Woodstock, and the son Perrin never changed his residence from the place where the family then settled. It is a farm about two miles east of Bryant's Pond village.

He became one of the influential citizens of Woodstock. He was selectman for many years and held other positions of trust and responsibility, always performing his official duties with ability and honor. His townsmen wished to continue him in charge of town affairs but he repeatedly refused office.

He was an active worker in the old State militia, successively held every office in the company, and became Major, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel of the regiment. The last named commission he held for a term of years, being an officer of unusual dignity and ability. When the war of the Rebellion broke out, Col. Dudley was past the age limit of active service, but he nevertheless went to the front with his townsmen, and his knowledge to practical usefulness. He organized and drilled a company for the field, which was found to be one of the best trained volunteer companies that entered the service. At home he continued his townsmen's loyalty and was determined in his opposition to the spirit of Southern sympathy which was sometimes manifested.

Politically he was a Republican from the formation of the party. He voted at nineteen successive presidential elections. His counsel was sought in party affairs because it was known to be valuable.

In religion, he was a Universalist, being a member of the church at Bryant's Pond. But he was broad-minded enough to accord to others the right to differ.

As a farmer he was a success, acquiring enough to give his children good starts in life and still have a competence for his own old age. He was a tireless worker, and never gave up the privilege of being useful.

Last summer, he alone cared for the vegetable garden, regularly getting up at five o'clock and working till breakfast time. He had a special case of hayfield which he mowed and cut for seventy-two years, nobody else touched a scythe to the grass on that acre.

He married Paulina Felt. She died some years ago and since then his son Otis and family have lived on the farm with the Colonel. They had eleven children, six of whom are living, Mrs. Albin P. Bowker, Otis L. Dudley, Mrs. Jeremiah Curtis, Ansel Dudley, Mrs. James Sheeran and Mrs. Freeland Young.

They are all respected by those who know them, and have not forgotten their own heritage of an honorable name. All live in Woodstock but one, Mrs. Young, whose home is in Norway village. A number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren are also living.

In character Col. Dudley was integrity itself. He was possessed of marked mental ability, and always understood his reasons for his opinions. He was firm almost to stubbornness, and always bluntly spoke his own mind. At the same time he was genial and liked. But few cared to tackle him in a contest of wits, for he was keen indeed at a joke.

In person, he was tall, slender and always spare. He was little and active and walked erect to the end of his days. He never was sick a day in his life, which he attributed to his regular habits and temperate ways in all things.

Last Friday morning, he failed to wake, having sustained a paralytic shock during the night. He gradually and painlessly sank, and passed away on Saturday morning, March 18, 1897, having attained the great age of 94 years, 1 month and 10 days.

The funeral was held at the residence, Monday, Rev. P. E. Barton, pastor of the Universalist church at Bethel, officiated. Interment was in the family lot.

SOUTH HARRISON.

John Johnson has lately purchased a yoke of oxen.

Walter Ross is at work for the Scribner Bros. at Scribner's Mills.

Hattie Johnson, who has been down country visiting, has returned home.

Clara Spaulding and daughter Isabel are stopping at the village present.

George Adams and mother were here recently from Norway Lake. Mrs. Adams will stop a few weeks here, visiting relatives and friends.

PICKED UP ON BROADWAY.

A True Incident.—A woman was picked up in the street in an unconscious condition and hurried to the nearest hospital. On examination her body was found to be covered with sores caused by the hypodermic injection of morphine.

This mere wreck of a woman had once held an honorable and lucrative position in a large publishing house in New York. Her health began to fail. Instead of taking rest and medical treatment, she resorted to the stimulus of morphine.

The hospital physicians discovered that her primary trouble was an affection of the womb, which could readily have been cured in the first stages.

If, when she had felt those severe pains in the back, the terrible headaches, the constant sense of fullness, soreness and pain in the pelvic region, she had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, it would have dissolved and passed off that polypus in the womb, and to-day she would have been a well woman sitting in her office.

Why will women let themselves go in this way? It seems passing strange that a woman like this one, so highly educated, and so well placed, should have depended on morphine, instead of seeking a radical cure.

There is no excuse for any woman who suffers—she need not go without help. Mrs. Pinkham stands ready to help any woman; her address is Lynn, Mass. Write to her; it will cost you nothing. In the meantime get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at the nearest drug store. The following letter from one of your sisters will encourage you:

Mrs. BERTHA LEHMAN, No. 1 Erie St., 27th Ward, Pittsburg, Pa., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I can hardly find words with which to thank you for what you have done for me. I suffered nearly seven years with backache and headache, leucorrhoea, and the worst forms of womb troubles.

"Doctors failed to do me any good. I have taken four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and one box of Liver Pills, and used one package of Sanative Wash, and now can say I am well and have been steadily gaining flesh; am stouter and heartier now than I have been for years. I am recommending your Vegetable Compound to my friends. Again I thank you for the good health I am enjoying."

Help

Is needed by poor, tired mothers, overworked and burdened with care, debilitated and run down because of poor, thin and impoverished blood. Help is needed by the nervous sufferer, the men and women tormented with rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, scrofula, catarrh. Help

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ULSTERS,

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If you want anything in this line come and see my stock at

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Market Square, South Paris.

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THIS WEEK.

A New Lot

Of engraved blown tumblers at \$1.00 per dozen.

Of moulded engraved tumblers at 40c. per dozen.

Of plain blown tumblers at 60c. per dozen.

Of plain moulded tumblers at 30c. per dozen.

All First Quality.

Y. P. S. C. E. at East Hiram.

The winter convention of the Saco Valley Local Union Y. P. S. C. E. was held at Pythian Hall, East Hiram, Feb. 27. Cornish, Sebago, Denmark, Brownfield, West Brownfield and Fryeburg were well represented, together with nearly the whole membership of Hiram society. The president, Rev. C. F. Sargent of Denmark, presided. Rev. W. P. Hume is secretary and treasurer.

The morning praise service was led by Mr. Hume and Rev. Newton Clough of Brownfield offered prayer.

The society at West Brownfield was admitted to the Union. The address of welcome by Nathan Kimball and the response by Rev. E. H. Abbott of Fryeburg were well received. Reports from the societies were encouraging. Master Fred Colby reported the Junior C. E. of Denmark. Cora B. Bickford of Bladeford, State President, was made a member of the convention and gave a very interesting and stirring address.

The papers read on the various divisions of the pledge ought to lead all to more earnest consecration and faithful performance of every duty.

Sixty delegates were present including visitors from Jamestown Local Union and members of Brownfield A. C. F. Society. The day was fine and some said "This is the best convention we have ever held."

Resolutions were adopted showing grateful appreciation of "royal" entertainment during the convention, legislation against the cigarette and calling on the Nevada State C. E. to try to prevent prize fighting in that State.

The praise service of the evening was led by Mr. Belcher of Denmark. Rev. E. B. Sargent of Fryeburg gave an address on "The Glory of Young Manhood."

The consecration service led by Mrs. G. N. Colby of Denmark was followed by the hymn "God be with you" and Mizpah benediction. One of the best features of the afternoon session was the question box conducted by Miss Bickford.

NORTH LOVELL.
G. A. Kimball has had a slight attack of the grip.

A. I. Hatch went to Norway Friday, and from there to Berlin Saturday, and home Sunday.

John Harriman is at home now. He has been staying at Ezra Hurd's in North Chatham this winter.

John Kimball and wife returned from Berlin, N. H., Sunday. They have worked there the past year.

There was a picnic supper by Crescent lodge of Odd Fellows Friday night, and we had a good time was enjoyed.

Hartford McAllister and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. Dana McAllister, last week, and called on several of their old friends before returning home.

Georgia Putnam has kept house the past week for Mrs. Clarence McKee, while the latter visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Hutchins, in North Fryeburg.

The Ray Brothers of North Waterford want stock to pasture.

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Call and see our : : : :
Ash Chamber Suit, : : : : \$14.00.
Soft Top Mattress, : : : : 2.50.
Couches, : : : : 7.50 and up.
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We have just received our new assortment of Spring and Summer Neckwear. We have searched the markets over and have got together the best line we have ever owned.

It suits us and it suits all who have seen it. We want you to see it for we know it will suit you. Many different patterns in wash goods to match negligee shirts in bows, strings and four-in-hands. All the latest in fancy silks.

Many different styles in the new flowing end four-in-hands. We want you to see them so that you will know where to do your neckwear buying.

MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

H. B. FOSTER,

Opera House Block, NORWAY, MAINE.

BARGAINS!

We have some bargains to offer as follows:

1 nice ash set, good style, large bevel (German plate) glass, rub finish. Marked down from \$35, Price, \$25.00

2 (marble top and lock) walnut commodes. Marked down from \$5.75, Price, \$3.50

6 walnut centre tables. Marked from \$4.50, " \$2.75

1 cherry (marble top) center table. Marked from 6.50, " \$3.75

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SOME NEW NOVELTIES

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: At 25c. :

Broken Plaids and Pin Head Checks.

The goods are an exact imitation of the 75c. and \$1 imported Novelty, and make very handsome Spring Suits and Skirts.

MERRITT WELCH,

Norway, Maine.

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Jones' Orchestra played at Fair Friday night.

The school board met, Thursday, elected Lena Perkins as superintendent.

Hugh Pendexter, assistant of way High School, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Hannah Manson is at home with her mother, who has been quite with pneumonia.

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Mande Crafts has gone to H., to work in a hotel.

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Mrs. A. A. Bumpus spent a night in the first of the week.

John White, baggage master Grand Trunk station, is in his Bryan's Pond.

The Sons of Temperance have gathered sociable with refreshment Thursday evening.

Charles Weston has a dance on hall Saturday night. Go and a good time promised.

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The Robinson Manufacturing are putting in two new carmules. They are also laying in the upper card room.

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The Ladies' circle met at Mary Hastings last Wednesday.

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The Robinson Mfg Co. have just bought new and improved machinery for the card and spin rooms, consisting of a finisher with the capacity of two sets of cards and two mules of 420 spindles each.

D. P. Shanahan is in very poor health.

Clinton Bumpus has moved into the Merrill Brackett rent.

Maud Crafts has gone to Lisbon, N. H., to work in a hotel.

The mother of Mrs. S. F. Deane died suddenly Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. A. Bumpus spent a few days in town the first of the week.

John White, baggage master at the Grand Trunk station, is at his home in Bryant's Pond.

The Sons of Temperance had a masquerade soiree with refreshments last Thursday evening.

Charles Weston has a dance in Robinson hall Saturday night. Good music and a good time promised.

The Ladies' Home Literary club met at Mrs. Frank Farris', Monday evening. The next meeting will be with Miss J. A. Mulholland.

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The Stirling Literary club met with Mrs. W. J. Pitman, Tuesday.

The Ladies' circle met with Mrs. Mary Hastings last Wednesday.

W. Sturdivant has been painting a picture of Dr. I. Mabry's big dog, Duke.

Will and Roy Sturdivant attend the spring term at the academy. Will being in the graduating class, James Gallison also attends the academy.

The Lovell Dramatic club played the drama "Under the Laurels," which they played at Lovell a short time since, at the chapel in North Fryeburg, Monday evening.

Some of the young people of this place and West Fryeburg met at W. Sturdivant's last Saturday night. After music and dancing, ice cream and cake was served. All agree in voting the evening most enjoyably spent.

D. A. Wiley has the stage route from Fryeburg and Chatham, through this place. He has purchased the coach and one of the horses owned by our old stage driver, John Smith. The latter is moving his family into his place at Conway.

EAST HIRAM.

N. R. Flint spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. N. E. Rankin and family in Lewiston.

Mrs. Martha Chick is spending some weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. Spencer, at East Baldwin.

C. C. and Harry A. Kimball and Floyd Burnell are doing quite an extensive sap business this spring.

Mrs. Sarah Bean and Mrs. E. C. Burnell attended the Congregational circle at Charles B. Smith's in Denmark last week, and report a large and interesting circle.

George Starbird and wife entertained the Methodist circle last Tuesday afternoon and evening. A large number were present and the meeting was a very pleasant one.

The drama "The Deacon" was presented at Pythian hall Feb. 24, under the auspices of Hiram lodge, K. of P. The cast of characters was:

Deacon Thornton.....	Henry W. Merrill
George Graef.....	Charles Cotton
George Darrah.....	W. E. Stuart
James Reed.....	W. E. Stuart
John Hubbard.....	W. E. Stuart
Peter.....	W. E. Stuart
James Brown.....	W. E. Stuart
Officer.....	W. E. Stuart
Pete.....	W. E. Stuart
Bill.....	W. E. Stuart
Mrs. Thornton.....	Lizzie E. Burnell
Amelia Fawcett.....	Mrs. Louise Flint
Helen Thornton.....	Maud Davis
Mrs. Darrah.....	Cora Clements
Sellie Darrah.....	Emma Hubbard
Daisy.....	Mrs. Vivian Cameron

Many of the audience were so pleased that they requested a repetition of the play, which was given Monday evening, March 8, to a well filled house. The play was also given by the same company at Denmark, March 9, to a large and appreciative audience. Having so good success this company will again present the drama at Kezar Falls on Friday evening of this week.

WEST PARIS.

Eva Lurvey of Lewiston has been stopping at home.

Will Baker returned from his visit to his home at Foxcroft, last Thursday.

There is to be a social dance at Dunham's Hall, Friday evening, March 19th.

Levi Noyes of Gorham, N. H., called on friends and relatives in the place, last Saturday.

A party of young people from this place attended the social at Paris Hill, Friday evening.

Mrs. S. B. Locke's father, Mr. Libby, is in very poor health, suffering from a complication of troubles.

Agnes Bicknell, who has been working for A. D. Barrett of Gorham, N. H., has closed her engagement and returned home for a few days. She left here, Monday, for Boston, where she has a place engaged.

Over fifty from Franklin Grange of Bryant's Pond visited West Paris Grange on Saturday, March 13th. The exercises furnished by Franklin Grange were of the best and enjoyed by all present. West Paris Grange was not as well represented as hoped for on account of the very sick ones.

Next Saturday, March 20th, West Paris Grange returns the visit, the exercises to be furnished by the visiting Grange.

HARTFORD.

The dancing school is closed.

There is some talk of a poverty ball. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cotton and daughter are visiting in Hartford.

Mrs. Orlando Irish, who has been ill for many months past, is recovering her health.

Mrs. Frank Benson of Sumner is at work for her brother-in-law, America Benson.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

F. L. Wyman has the grip.

Mamie Harriman is at home from Norway.

Hiram Linscott of Norway was in here, Sunday.

F. W. and A. M. Andrews with their wives have been very ill with the grip.

Many of the teamsters have their jobs completed. Messrs. Tuell and Lurvey finished, Thursday.

Ferrin Dudley passed away, Saturday morning, aged ninety-four. Mr. Dudley leaves quite a competence that now goes to Otis Dudley.

As yet the rug fever has not got here to any great extent. We do not believe it necessary to annoy your feet though before entering the house.

Most everybody here has had to take their turn being sick. At some of the houses there has hardly been enough well ones to take care of the invalids.

With spring comes the annual fixing up and mapping out of the year's operations by the farmers. I notice that some corners previously marked sweet corn are blank this year or accreted to something else.

NORTH NEWRY.

Very drifting times and very bad roads. W. D. Kilgore has eleven as fine little pigs as can be found.

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Frank Howard from Rumford Falls attended the lyceum here.

Dana Bartlett was in town, Saturday and Sunday, from Houghton.

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SWEDEN.

Will Richardson is at his mother's, Mrs. A. S. Richardson.

J. Arthur Plummer of Haverhill, Mass., visited his father the past week.

Johnny Wilson of Lowell is visiting at his grandmother's, Mrs. A. S. Richardson.

Mrs. Morrill Jewell and daughter are at her father's, B. S. Holden's, for a few weeks.

Daniel H. Woodbury's family is improving, also Roswell B. Nevers, wife and little son.

Liberty Kilgore's son has moved into the Bridge Street's rent occupied by Harry Shaw, the past two years.

Sumner Kimball of Waterford, who has been at work in the woods for M. E. Perry, went home sick with the grip, Friday.

The grip is epidemic! Whole families are prostrated with it. In nearly every family some member or members are its victims.

Mrs. Angella Palmer and J. A.'s little son, Enfield, of Brookline, Mass., have returned home from a visit to her father, John Plummer.

Dr. Hubbard of Lowell went with Mrs. Geo. Ellis of this town to the Maine General Hospital, Portland, for treatment on Monday, the 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Chandler of Chatham, N. H., also Chas. Quinoy and wife of Bridgton were among the guests at the Y. P. circle.

Chas. Spears and Thell. Bennett are among the sick ones and unable to go with their teams hauling hemlock from the Chas. Brown lots. John Evans and Chas. W. Bourne are driving for them.

Mrs. Crouse of Boston, Mass., came to Sweden, Saturday, to take care of her son, Eddie, who is quite sick at his sister's, Mrs. C. M. Evans'. Mrs. Evans little son and step-mother are on the sick list.

No service at the M. E. church, last Sunday, the storm preventing. Six inches of snow fell. Old Boreas has done his part thus far in keeping the record of March good, by frequent high, cold winds.

The Y. P. circle, Mar. 10, entertained by Mrs. R. O. Moulton, Mrs. J. M. Stone, Mrs. Lizzie Spears and Mrs. A. H. White.

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WEST FRYEBURG.

Barbara Ward visited in Madison, several days recently.

Arthur Philbrook of Wakefield, Mass., is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. James Har- dy.

Mrs. Henry D. H. Hutchins and Mrs. Stephen Farrington visited in Lovell, last week.

John Heath, who has been for some months past in Stow, is just returned to his home just over the line in East Con- way.

Minnie Farrington has completed her year's engagement as teacher at Mechan- ics Falls and is spending her vacation at home.

Ernest Littlefield has bought Henry Nutter's place, close to the New Hamp- shire line, and will occupy it when vaca- ted by Mrs. Nutter's family, who con- template removal to Wolfboro, N. H.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Herman Holt has finished work at Hanover and is at home.

Winfield Sloan of Norway is staying at P. P. Dresser's, for a short time.

Wm. Chadbourne of Waterford bought a cow of John Mason, last week.

Mrs. A. L. Chapin of Welchville, is spending a few weeks at her old home.

James A. Kimball has been chosen as supervisor of schools, for the coming year.

Maud Dresser has finished attending school at Welchville and has returned home.

Mrs. Lydia Sawin and Annie Sawin are visiting friends and relatives at Norway, this week.

Mrs. Minnie Saunders and little boy, Harvey, of North Waterford, spent last Friday with Mrs. Lewis Sawin.

May Abbott, who has been at work at North Waterford, was called home, last week, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Beulah Abbott, who is suffering with the prevailing cold.

Mrs. Nora Abbott is sick with the grip or something that "grips" hard enough to be called a daughter.

Mrs. John Mason is recovering from an attack of the same nature.

Wednesday, at Carson City, Nevada, Robert Fitzsimmons of Australia and James J. Corbett of California fought in the prize ring for the championship of the world. Fitzsimmons won in the fourteenth round.

BIRTHS.

In Norway, March 14, to the wife of G. Leon Curtis, a daughter. (Mildred Ideell).

In Rumford Falls, March 5, to the wife of Fred Kirkland, a daughter.

In Rumford Falls, March 5, to the wife of L. L. Nile, a daughter.

In Rumford Falls, March 7, to the wife of M. E. Hersey, a daughter.

In West Buckfield, Feb. 17, to the wife of J. F. Fawcett, a daughter. (Elizabeth).

In Houlton, Feb. 25, to the wife of L. O. Glover, a daughter. (Dorothy Stiles).

In Newry, March 8, to the wife of C. J. Spinyer, a daughter.

In Newry, March 7, to the wife of Joseph Crowther, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

In Rumford Falls, March 10, by Rev. G. B. Hannaford, Edgar G. Gannap and Elva J. Ferrin, both of Byron.

In Rumford Falls, March 2, by Arthur R. Morrison esq., Hazen Merritt and Caroline Sturgeson.

In Woodstock, March 6, by Alden Chase esq., Willard Cobb of Mexico and Abbie E. Reed of Greenwood.

DEATHS.

In Norway, March 13, Bernard Reavey, aged 28 years.

In Norway, March 11, William Cox, aged 88 years, 3 months, 11 days.

In Milton, March 12, Mrs. Abbie, wife of John H. Richardson, and youngest daughter of the late Merrill Chase esq., of Woodstock, aged 60 years.

In Milton Plantation, March

When Trains Leave Norway.

Leave Norway for Portland and Lewiston.
6:20, 9:25 a. m.; 4:00 p. m.

Leave Norway for Gorham and West.
9:25 a. m.; 3:25, 7:20 p. m.
Including Sunday.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

It was reported that there were 80 cases of grip in town Saturday.

Mrs. V. W. Hills has been another victim of the grip the past week.

O. Carlton Holden of Lewiston spent Sunday in town with his parents.

Mary Sanborn, who has been visiting relatives at Steep Falls, Bridgton, is now in Norway.

If you want to see G. Leon Curtis smile, call him "papa." The little one is a girl.

Monday morning, Burton Truman presided over the sidewalk snowplow, Geo. A. Cole, who usually does that, being sick.

The selectmen advertise in this issue for proposals for furnishing medical attendance and medicine upon the poor of this town.

Rev. J. H. Roberts of Pleasantdale preached in the Methodist church, Sunday. He was in town to attend a funeral, and as the pastor was sick occupied the pulpit.

The Sunday service of the Boston Journal will be discontinued from last Sunday, and in the future the Sunday edition of the paper will not arrive until Monday forenoon.

Four inches of fluttering snow fell during Sunday. The street cars were run double with full outfit of snowplow and track scrapers and brooms. Schedule time was not exactly followed, but pretty nearly.

We admit that our judgment was poor when we attempted to keep an account of the grip patients. There have been too many of them. So do not feel slighted if your name does not appear with the afflicted ones, for it would seem easier to name those who have not had this insidious disease.

Henry Tucker, of Logansport, Ind., a Norway boy and a brother of C. Tucker, has been appointed aide-de-camp by Grand Commander S. L. Clarkson of the G. A. R. The honor was unsolicited and unexpected, and comes as a pleasant surprise to the gentleman who will now be known as Colonel Tucker.

Bernard Reavey died at his home at Steep Falls Saturday noon. He had been sick with the grip, and getting better had ventured out too soon, catching an additional cold from which he died. He was in the tea and coffee business, and had a good wagon trade in Norway and surrounding towns. Last May he married May E. Libby of this village.

Rev. B. S. Rideout has a fine collection of mineral specimens. The labor of gathering them and time spent in arranging must have been considerable. We don't know much about geology or mineralogy, but we were intensely interested, the other day, at seeing the great variety of beautiful and peculiar things which are dug out of the earth. The most fascinating was a rock, though his microscope at things so small that the naked eye could not discover them, and possessed of names so big that a layman cannot remember them. The curiosity of the lot is a stone about two feet long, resembling a large whetstone, which can be bent and twisted. Mr. Rideout says the cause and means of that elasticity are a puzzle to scientists. A geode is a rough, weather-beaten rock about the size and shape of a goose egg. When broken open, the inside is found to be a mass of dazzling crystals. There are specimens of ores, pyrites, quartz, tourmalines, sapphires, agates, onyx and other raw materials for metals and gems, too numerous to mention. The collection embraces specimens of the characteristic rock of nearly all parts of the earth, and is surprising in its completeness.

Karl's Clover Root Tea.
Is a sure cure for headache and nervous diseases. Nothing relieves so quickly.

SOME PECULIAR EXPRESSIONS.

Who is the author of this?

"I perceive your thread is badly entangled; permit me to assist you in disentangling its tangled meshes."

Here is another one from a different person:

"Under yonder dense wall I have concealed a condensed yeast cake; kindly guard the same with a watchful eye, while I bid myself to the forest to pluck foliage for my aged parents."

Many years ago a placard now posted on a business man's closed door, which caused a sensation. The author is still unknown.

The inscription was:

"I'm not sick,
I'm not dead,
But into a wagon I straddled,
And for Canada I headed."

"You all sufficient, insufficient, self-sufficient—old fool, get out of my mill."

The above expression originated more than 40 years ago, and was like driving a carpet tack with a sledge hammer. It was effective.

The boarders at the Beal's hotel have impromptu debates. These are always interesting as several of the participants are nimble in working through the intricacies of almost any discussion. One evening recently we wandered into the office, and listened. One young man, who has received a good schooling in one of Boston's suburbs, was posing as an authority upon Mark Twain and other eminent writers. The exchange of ideas developed into a discussion of humorists generally, and somebody mentioned Dr. Holmes. The young man who had been speaking so knowingly, then inquired: "Dr. Holmes—was he the one that killed all those people?"

A man high in authority on the Norway waterworks system was seen recently traveling over his shoulder.

"Who's going dry now?" shouted the smart young man.

"I'm going to pull teeth," was the reply.

"Wisdom teeth," suggested a bystander. The young man subsided amid much laughter.

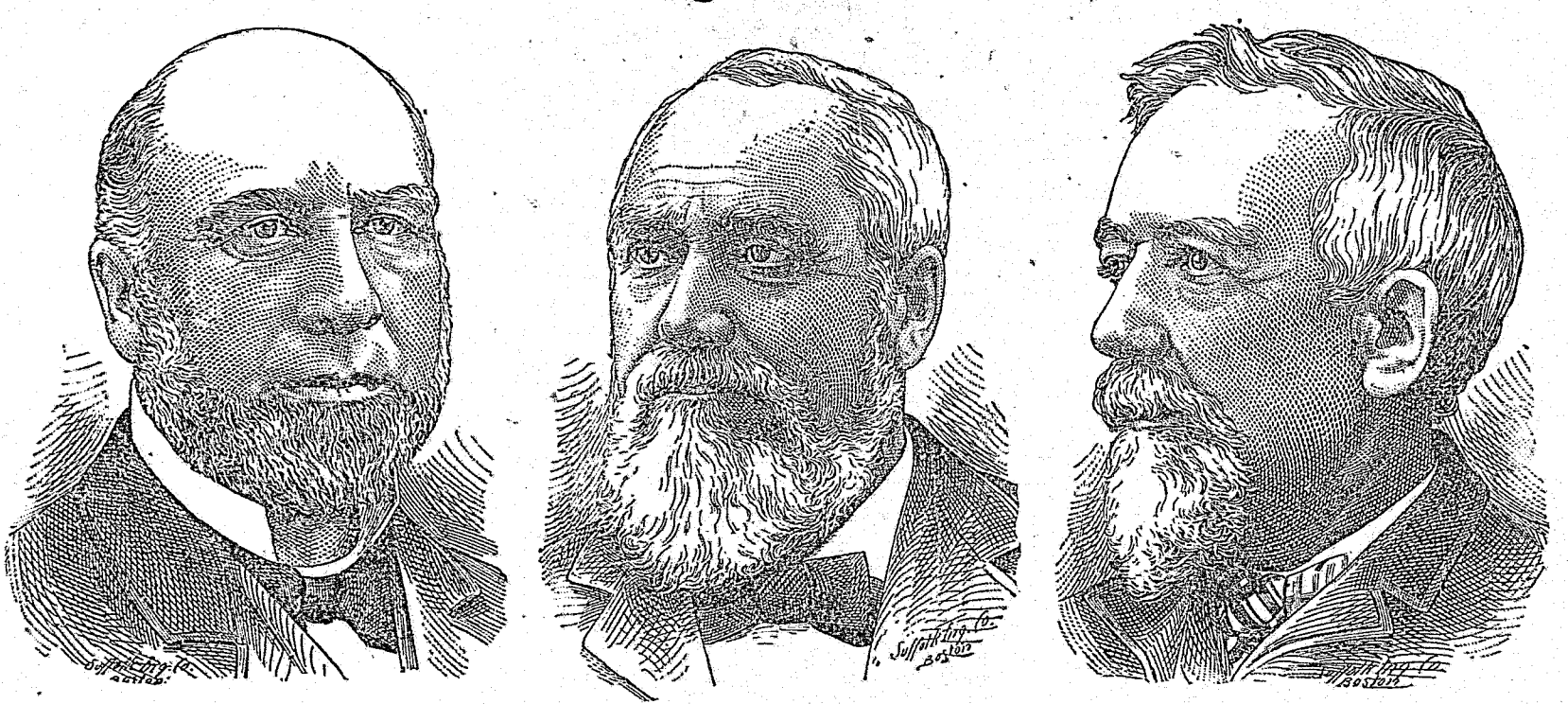
Something to Consider.

You are weak, sick, out of health. You have tried local doctors. Did you ever stop to think that it is the great specialist in your disease who can cure you, the physician who treats and cures thousands of cases like yours? Dr. Greene, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., is the most successful of all specialists and has the largest practice in the world. You can consult him free. Write to him without delay and he will explain your case fully. This will cost you nothing and doubtless lead to your cure.

JUDGES' DECISION SUPREME.

Important Judges' Decision that Dr. Greene's Nervura is the Most Wonderful Remedy in the World to Cure.

This is Also the Verdict of the Entire World. The All-Powerful Curative, Health-Giving Properties of Dr. Greene's Nervura Established Beyond Doubt. The Greatest Discovery of Modern Science. The Remedy Which Makes Health and Strength Possible to All. The Great Spring Medicine that the People Want and Insist on Using.



Judge J. H. Hastings.

Judge Edwin C. White.

Judge J. N. Fisher.

The decision of the court is the highest and best of evidence. The eminent judges have reached a decision, it is only after the most thorough researches and investigation. Three distinguished judges have recently brought in a decision which affects the whole people of the entire country, affects everybody everywhere, in fact, for it is given in the interests of the health of the community.

The eminent Judge J. H. Hastings, Waitsfield, Vt., says:

"I have heard Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy most highly recommended by my friends and neighbors who have used it, and know of several decided cures where people have been in a very feeble state of health and had failed to get relief from the usual sources. A lady who lived in my family has often spoken of the wonderful good which Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy has done her mother, who was cured of nervous prostration by its use. One of my near neighbors who used the Nervura and derived benefit from its use advised me to use it in my own family. They are all enthusiastic in its praise, and I join in the same."

HARRISON.

A wave of the grip has surely struck the town.

Guy Andrews is still suffering from his cut foot.

R. W. Fogg's barn is adorned with a fine weather vane.

George W. Wilber is to work with T. D. Emery, as pressman.

Mrs. Charles Plummer and two daughters, Annie and Nellie, have moved here from Cornish.

Charles H. Cole has moved here from Cornish and occupies the C. Ricker and Villa Fogg, of Naples, and Weston house. Bert Southworth has moved into Mrs. Otis Trafton's house; Henry Emery into the Smith house.

Some of the Harrison news was run under the Hartford heading last week, but that did not make it Hartford news, it was Harrison. Send in the news and we will try and get it under its proper head.

Jerome DeWitt, of Eaton, N. H., James Hamilton Jr., of Saco, Mrs. Clara DeWitt and Villa Fogg, of Naples, and Weston and wife, of Lewiston, and Henry Fuller and wife, of Wayne, have recently visited in our village.

"How to Cure All Skin Diseases."

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for SWAYNE'S OINTMENT. 40-14.

Edward Kendall Whitney.

The late Edward Kendall Whitney was born in Harrison 72 years ago, in which town he lived until his death. His parents were Freeman and Mary (Freeman) Whitney of Gorham, Me., and Beverly, Mass., respectively, who in early life took up their abode in Harrison. His paternal ancestor (a great-grandfather of the deceased), John Whitney, of Gorham, a revolutionary soldier, was an early settler of Harrison, and of the first local generation of the family tree.

Deceased was a farmer by vocation, had a wide reputation as a prominent and successful cultivator of fruit, of Jersey cattle, and of trotting-horse stock, in each of which he was a specialist. Retiringly he was a veteran member and deacon of the Free Baptist church, and many years its Sunday school superintendent.

He was also a member of Harrison lodge of Odd Fellows. Socially he was a genial, interesting person, a man of strict integrity, a valued citizen, and lived and died respected by all.

Mr. Whitney married Arvilla Caswell, daughter of the late Marquis P. Caswell, of Harrison, who survives him, as do three sons and daughters—Edward, of Orange, Mass.; Harrison, of New Haven, Fairfield, of Springfield, Mass.; and Mary, wife of Dr. C. B. Sylvester, of Harrison.

Of the six sons and two daughters of his father's family, four are living: Stephen T. James G., George E., of Harrison, and Mrs. John H. Caswell, of Bridgton.

The funeral was at the late residence of the deceased, conducted by his pastor, Rev. R. W. Curtis. There was a rich offering of beautiful tributes. The Odd Fellows lodge attended in a body and accompanied the remains to their last resting place in Village cemetery.

The late Edward Kendall Whitney was named after his relative, Edward Kendall, the world-famous bugle king, who when a boy was for a while a resident of Harrison, recalls an interesting bit of local and personal history.

On the Harrison town records appears the entry, certified to by Jacob Emerson, justice of the peace, that on Oct. 1, 1822, he married Knoch Whitney and widow Mary Kendall.

The learned Judge Edwin C. White, Hyde Park, Vt., renders decision in the following enthusiastic words which will give renewed force to the weak, sick and suffering: "I have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy in my family and am pleased to say, with good results. My wife had been troubled with indigestion, which produced nervousness which might have been serious and at times troubled her greatly. We had tried many things for relief, but without success. I saw the wonderful cures claimed for Dr. Greene's Nervura and resolved to give it a trial, and it gives me pleasure to say I am glad I did. My wife now sleeps well and is greatly benefited from indigestion, having had only one slight return (where they had been daily) since taking the Nervura. I give permission to print this unqualified testimonial."

The distinguished Judge, J. N. Fisher, Cabot, Vt., gives in his decision the highest evidence that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is the best medicine a person can use to restore health and strength. He says:

This Enoch Whitney was the grandfather of Edward Kendall Whitney, and it was at North Windham that he became acquainted with Mrs. Kendall, the mother of the great mother, who with her five children, had moved there from Portland after the death of her husband. He proposed marriage, was accepted, and they were married in Mr. Whitney's own home.

They lived in Harrison a couple of years, together with their children: James, Edward, Eliza C., Mary J. and Jane; then, after a short residence in Brownfield, moved to Norway in 1825. Mr. Whitney and his wife were separated, he going to the eastern part of the state, and she and the girls to Boston, where she boarded her two boys while pursuing her musical studies.

"Yed" Kendall, for whom she with her parents consent, named her grandson, E. K. Whitney, died at Boston in 1831.

The Whitney-Kendall house was occupied by Mr. Martel in the 80s, but is now untenanted. It is situated in the southern part of the town—Bridgton News.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have recently perfected an ingenious cure for dyspepsia. Their Digestive Cordial consists of a food already digested and a digester of corn, which is very effective. The importance of this invention will be appreciated when we realize what a proportion of the community are victims of some form of stomach troubles. Thousands of pale, thin people have little inclination to eat, and what they do eat causes them pain and distress.

The Digestive Cordial of the Shakers corrects any stomach derangement at once. It makes thin people plump. Every one will be greatly interested to read the little book which has been placed in the hands of druggists for free distribution.

What is Laxol? Nothing but Castor Oil made as palatable as honey. Children like it.

RUMFORD CENTRE.

Charles Goodwin and Alvie Colcord are having a bird for George Smith.

Miss Beal of Milton is working for Aaron Hall.

School has just closed on Red Hill. It is enough to convince one that Miss Martin is one of our best teachers when we say she has taught a greater part of the schools in that district for the past 12 years.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger is avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for the grippe, we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25 and 50 cent size for sale by Noyes Drug Store.

George A. Benham will contribute to Harper's Bazar of March 20 a thoughtful paper on "The Disparity of Wages Between Men and Women." There will also be several articles of particular interest to women, including timely suggestions with regard to the new fashions, and the illustrations will include many early spring costumes.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

After having been confined to the house for eleven days, and paying out \$25 in doctor bills without benefit, Frank Dolson, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm costing 25 cents and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For sale by Noyes Drug Store. Mar.

"Last winter my wife was very sick, taken down with the grip very severely. We employed the usual methods of physicians and she improved some, but was left very feeble, so that she could hardly get around the house. She continued all this way, until a friend advised us to use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. We used two bottles of this medicine, and I am rejoiced to say that she is much improved. I think it is the best remedy we have been made acquainted with, and have no hesitation in recommending it to others."

Dr. Greene's Cathartic Pills are the sure cure for biliousness, sour stomach and constipation. Small, sugar coated, easy to take, certain and pleasant to act.

Remember that Dr. Greene, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., who is the most successful physician in curing diseases, can be consulted free, personally or by letter. There is nothing to pay for consultation, examination or advice, and this fact together with the low prices of his wonderful health-giving medicines, places a sure cure in reach of all.

OXFORD.—John Hall went to Falmouth, Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Bryant has gone to Auburn. Grace Warren is visiting at Waterford. Earl Gilbert is working for George R. Paine.

Mrs. J. F. Fuller is very sick with la grippe.

Mrs. J. G. Sweet and son Charles of Paris, visited at J. S. French's, recently.

Mrs. N. S. French and Lucy Andrews of North Paris, visited at J. S. French's, last week.

A petition is in circulation for the purpose of establishing a post office at Oxford Depot.

Horace Howard has finished working for F. J. Hall and is going to Boston on a vacation.

Messrs. Bray, Witham, Titomas and Hall attended the annual meeting of the Poland Dairyman Association, at Poland, last Saturday.

For a genuine Keagley Cure within the State of Maine, go to Deering, where every care is given for the benefit of the patient. While every comfort is furnished, and the attractions of both nature and art are on every hand to please and aid the patient in his recovery. The main object of this excellently managed institution is to effect PERFECT CURES. The President is a man of temperate habits and high grade of character. 25tf

A Native of Paris.

Augusta Patience, daughter of Orna and Phebe (Bumpps) Hall, was born in Paris, Aug. 10, 1838. She had one sister, Charlotte, who married William R. Howe, and one brother, Rodney N., both of whom are well known residents of Paris.

The subject of this sketch married Chas. Walker, of Rumford. They have lived in Lewiston, where Mr. Walker has held many positions of trust and responsibility, among them city treasurer and mayor, and is the present postmaster.

They had one child, a son named Robert. He was killed by a fall, two years since. At that time, Mrs. Walker's health showed signs of weakening, a heart trouble making its presence known. But she apparently fully recovered, and was supposed to be as healthy as she was sociable and good natured.

She was a member of the Bates street Universalist church, and was active in all the work of that society. She was a cultured woman, and was welcome in the best circles in Lewiston.

Wednesday afternoon, March 10, Mrs. Walker was at the house of a friend, Mrs. W. D. Blackden, attending a reception in honor of Mrs. Thurston of Island Pond, Vt. She was one of the merriest of the party. During the afternoon, Mrs. Walker was suddenly taken ill, and died within an hour.

Mr. Walker was at Androscoggin pond in Wayne, fishing. The sad news was broken to him by telegraph.

The funeral was held at the residence, Saturday forenoon, Rev. R. D. Towne, her pastor, officiating.

All Respecting It.
Ask your physician, your druggist and your friends about Shiloh's Cure for Consumption, they will recommend it.

Harper's Weekly of March 20 will contain an illustrated interview with Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Arctic explorer, who is at present one of the most widely discussed of living men, and whose book "Farthest North," is being eagerly anticipated, not only in this country and in England, but throughout the whole civilized world.

CASTORIA.
Dr. H. H. Walker.
No. 117
Main St.
Lewiston, Me.

Oxford Central Railroad.

Thursday afternoon of last week, after the ADVERTISER had gone to press, the newly elected directors of the Oxford Central Electric Railroad Company, met and organized by choosing these officers:

President, Fred C. Wilson, Boston.
Vice-President, L. H. Burnham, Albany.
Secretary, Frelund Howe, Norway.
Treasurer, Seward S. Stearns, Norway.
Attorney, James S. Wright, South Paris.

RUMFORD FALLS.

John Cornell has been visiting friends in Boston.

Carl Lander recently visited his parents in Kingfield.

Hosea Whitman is getting out pickpole timber for Clark Houston.

Benjamin Burgess has so far recovered as to be able to work a little.

The Foresters had a box supper and sociable at their hall, Tuesday evening.

Grand Chief Templar Grant Rogers visited Mt. Zion Lodge, Saturday evening.

Benjamin Jones and daughter Lucy of Turner visited at Elsie Pratt's, last week.

One of our clothing stores recently had a sale of thirty-six Sunday-go-to-meeting white shirts in one day.

W. R. Swain has contracted to carry the mails between Rumford Falls and Andover for the next four years.

Grip has been raging about here and is not done yet. In connection there have been several cases of pneumonia.

The town of Andover has appropriated money for finishing the road through Swain Notch, putting the people of that famous town in close connection with this young city.

Last week, an important equity case was tried before Judge Foster, referee. Foster, Elliott & Libby sue A. Z. Cates for pay for mason work done on Cates block. The defense is that the work is much inferior to contract specifications. The decision is expected at the May term of Supreme Court.

Red nose, weeping eyes and a bad cough. The worst of the combination is the cough. Cure that with Adams's Botanic Cough Balsam. A few days will do it. Better not wait. A cough grows.

WILSON'S MILLS.
E. H. Brooks is at home for a visit.

Percy Ripely caught a raccoon, recently, a rare animal here.

Mrs. Dennis Gallant has returned from Mark, where she has been on a visit to her sister.

C. W. Clark has been to Berlin again after salmon spawn for the Farmaceutice Club hatchery.

Simon Stark is up the river, going the round of the logging camps again, with his usual assortment of wares.

Joseph Brooks of Upton, comes up once a week with fresh fish, oysters, fresh meats, which is very convenient for the people living on the main road.

It Saves Lives Every Day.
Thousands of cases of Consumption, Asthma, Coughs, Colds and Croup are cured every day by Shiloh's Cure.

Although the question is getting rather old, we wish to remark that there are two ways of looking at the new woman cyclist, who wears bloomers—from before and behind. The front view sometimes makes converts to the bloomer habit—the back, never. Try it yourself.

All can see that when they get an elegantly furnished room at the

Hotel Rexford
(ABSOLUTELY FIRE PROOF)
with steam heat, gas, hot and cold water and all hotel conveniences, in the heart of the city, for

75c. a Day, \$3. to \$4. a Week.
the HOTEL REXFORD, cor. Bulfinch St. and Bulfinch Pl., is the place for them to stop when visiting

BOSTON.
Cut this out for reference.



W. L. Douglas \$3 Shoe.
Stylish, durable, perfect fitting. Endorsed by over 1,000,000 wearers.

W. L. Douglas \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Shoes are the productions of skilled workmen from the best material possible at these prices. Also \$2.50 and \$2.00 Shoes for Men, \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.75 Boys.

We use only the best calf, Russia calf, French Patent Calf, French Kid, etc. etc. etc. graded to correspond with prices of the shoe. If dealer cannot supply you, write to us.

Catalog free. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass. SOLD BY

SMITH & FLOOD.

If you want your work done as YOU want it, you will have it done at the

NORWAY STEAM LAUNDRY.

Let us know and we will call for and deliver it.

When Hot Weather Comes

You will need ice, and I am prepared to furnish you with the same as in the past. I hope by prompt and careful attention of your wants to receive your patronage the same as I have in the past.

A. W. WALKER,
Norway and South Paris.

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Miss Prince spent last week in the Boston and New York markets, and this week we are opening

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These are extra good quality for the money.

In our grocery department we have got some good trades in

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Prunes for 12, 10 and 8 cents per lb. A good fresh Prune, but small size, 5 cts. lb.; 6 lbs., 25 cts.

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WATERFORD.

Elbridge Stone is down with the grip. F. M. Atherton is on the gain, but not out yet.

G. B. Ellis, one of our oldest townsmen, is quite sick with pneumonia. The school board for 1897 have organized with Florence B. Rounds as supervisor.

A family of Indians have rented the shop owned by J. P. Howe, and are making baskets for the summer trade. Will Goodwin has made quite an extended trip into Kennebec and Androscoggin counties; he reports having a good time.

Agnes Plummer is home on a vacation from Phillips, where she has been teaching school. We understand she has a further engagement there.

Ed Stone is home from Haverhill, N. H., called by the sickness of his aunt, Mrs. A. B. Wilkins, who was taken very suddenly with pneumonia. She is some better now.

Bertha F. Rice, who has been connected with the schools of Westchester some years, has accepted a situation in the schools at Quincy, Mass. She has our congratulations.

The special town meeting called for last Saturday, to reverse the action of the town in relation to putting in an iron bridge over the river, resulted in leaving things as voted at the annual meeting; the bridge will be built.

The whist party held at the hall Saturday evening under the auspices of the ladies of the Eastern Star, was a very pleasant gathering, and resulted in the girls' prize being won by Helen Sawyer of South Gardiner, who is visiting his daughter, and the ladies' by Josephine Gurney.

HARRISON.

The grip has entered nearly every home in the village.

The Rebekahs held their last circle at the Elm house, Friday evening.

Mary Proctor has been obliged to leave the coat shop on account of ill health.

Warren Purington of West Paris has bought Geo. Welch's farm, and is moving onto it.

Nellie Fleck is home from Westbrook on a short vacation. She graduated from the Westbrook high school this year.

The Congregational society has engaged Mrs. George Flint to play their church organ for the next six months.

About 10 days ago Henry Packard and wife were taken with the grip, and last week it settled into pneumonia with Mrs. Packard, who died Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon. Mr. Packard is not able to be out.

Sylvester & Dudley have sold their drug business to Henry Sylvester of Portland. Although we shall be glad to welcome Mr. Sylvester back we shall be sorry to part with Miss Lord, who is a very pleasant and efficient clerk. The change will be made about the first of April.

Died in Harrison, March 11, Stephen Tibbets, familiarly known as "Uncle Stephen," after a general wasting caused by a fall last Thanksgiving day. The many relatives and friends for a long time had been looking forward to the 27th of July next, to celebrate his 100th birthday, but the messenger of death called him, and he has crossed the dark river and is at rest. He was beloved by all who knew him. His agile form and pleasant face will be missed from our streets. The funeral was held at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. P. Ricker, where he passed his last day.

Charles Sampson is suffering from a lung trouble.

Much timber has been hauled to Long lake this winter.

S. Pitts has overcome his sickness and is about as usual.

Fred and Mrs. Weston have returned from their trip to Lewiston.

C. S. Whitney as usual is doing a big business stocking his store yard with timber.

Aunt Julia Harmon still lives in Hotel Daves. Nearly everyone knows the dear woman and to know her is to love her. She is largely known as Aunt Julia and is a strict Baptist.

T. D. Emery is doing a fine business in his coat shop, and in the near future will double the workmen. Mr. and Mrs. Emery are competent workmen, and are fortunate in keeping the best of help.

We trust the newcomers will assist in building up in the interest of religion. If people would stand up for their religion like they will for their politics how soon the devil would begin to run. The thankful spirit is one of the most purifying and enabling agencies.

We hear sad news of uncle Stephen Tibbets, who has been suffering from a paralytic shock since Thanksgiving day. Of late he has been rather improving, and strong hopes were entertained of his recovering. He has often been heard to remark, "I should like to live until July 24, when I shall be 100 years old."

We notice that protracted sessions are held at Augusta for particular business, and we hear for a fact, although nothing of importance as yet has been done, that the discussions, particularly favoring the Westbrook, Windham and Harrison electric road, are being anxiously awaited. We are in favor of the road, and when our purse comes trotting out for cash people will change their minds somewhat. We must have something other than the narrow gauge.

Jessie and Mrs. Field, who have been in the restaurant business in Lewiston for several years, have sold out, and are now quartered at their home, everything being remodeled since their return, and when gentle spring time comes will be in readiness for summer company. Mrs. Field knows just how to please guests, and their home being on a hill near lake and where fishing is good and where boats are in readiness to run out on this beautiful sheet of water at any call, would certainly be refreshing to the guests.

BUCKFIELD.

It is very sickly here.

Robinson Dean has gone to California, where Mrs. Dean has been spending the winter. He planned to stop off at Carson.

Your Buckfield correspondent writes from Auburn, where he is helping care for a son, Arden Tilton, who is suffering from an affection of the throat. We listened to a temperance lecture "from a boy's standpoint," by Chas. A. Tilton, a lad in his teens, at the rooms of the Auburn Reform Club, on Sunday afternoon. It was very highly complimented.

John L. Eastman of Fryeburg has been granted a pension.

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NORWAY LAKE.

Victor Partridge is at work in the store.

F. T. Green, Webster Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. David Gorham are sick with the prevailing epidemic.

F. E. Pottle has moved his household goods from Portland to the Bradbury farm on Pike's Hill, where he is to try farming for a while. Mrs. Pottle and children came Tuesday.

DENMARK.

Elmer Smith of Sebago Lake has visited friends in town.

J. N. Smith, Wm. Cutler and Mrs. Herman Bartlett are having cancers cured.

Nath'l Wentworth is quite sick. He is having a cancer removed from his lip and is 78 years old.

Winnie and Sadie Smith will go to Fryeburg, Monday, to attend school. Winnie graduates, this term.

Mrs. C. B. Smith entertained the Congregational circle, Wednesday, the 10th. Forty-eight took supper and had a very pleasant evening with music, plays, etc. Circle meets next with Mrs. Edwin Pingree.

Ezra Davis' wife started, Monday, to visit her friends in Kansas.

Eight inches of snow fell Sunday, and Monday the wind played briskly with it. Chadbourne Rand and wife returned, Friday, from a visit to her friends in Buckfield.

Maynard Frost living with Mr. Witham visited his aunt, Mrs. Walter Berry, Saturday night and Sunday.

Myron Bacon and wife are arranging to go to Massachusetts to work on a gentleman's farm in the town of Weston.

James Foss of Hiram is painting the newly finished rooms at Dr. S. T. Brown's and some outside work also.

Dr. Bond, the cancer doctor, was in town, last week, attending his patients and very kindly called on Mrs. Witham but said that nothing could be done to benefit her.

The K. of P. Lodge of Hiram played their drama "The Deacon," Tuesday evening, March 9th, at the Odd Fellows Hall, to a full house. The play is highly spoken of as ably played and interesting. They had a little break up and had to leave one of their sleighs after starting for home.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Mrs. Oscar Brown is a sufferer with a cold.

Mr. Morrison has been a victim of a cold.

Fannie York has had a touch of the fashionable cold.

Mrs. Dorr is now suffering with an attack of the epidemic cold.

Jones Hall got up, Monday morning, suffering with rheumatism.

Henry Green's two little ones have been suffering with colds.

Edith Watson was also one of the victims of the epidemic, last week.

Wm. Jenkins was very sick, last Friday, with cold, but is out again.

Frank Bell's children have all been sick with the colds so prevalent.

Oscar Brown has been laid aside for over a week with a sore limb and cold.

Henry Billings has been suffering, the past week, with neuralgia in the head.

Mrs. Swan has had neuralgia in her side rather bad for a day or so, but is reported better.

James Shaw, his daughters, Ophelia and Georgie, have all three had their turn at suffering with colds.

After an absence of six weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haines returned. They report having an excellent time visiting in New York state.

Horace Proctor, who has been running the saw mill in Quencon with the chair factory, expects to finish up his sawing this week.

Since our last correspondence much sickness has prevailed. Being sick ourselves, we may not be able to report all, but will as far as we know.

Mrs. Wm. Nevins came home with a cold in a few days her husband was taken and after a short time his brother was also taken with the same disease.

F. P. Smith, one of our village blacksmiths, was running a planer in the chair factory, one day last week, and planned off the end of his forefinger on the left hand.

Pastor Bragg, his two little girls and boy were among the sufferers of the prevailing colds. The pastor is out around, but the children are still confined to the house.

Our snow storm, Sunday, did not hinder the M. E. church from having a preaching service in the morning, but it kept the people home from the appointed social service in the evening.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Mrs. Daniel Scott is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Richardson died Friday, after a long sickness.

Mrs. John Brown is gaining slowly; she sits up some now.

Mr. Bradeen, who had a shock two weeks ago, is still confined to his bed, but his friends think he gains slowly.

It is very sickly here at present, most every family having one or more sick. Nearly half of the mill help have been out the past week, sick.

Teachers, won't you furnish the ADVERTISER a list of your scholars who were not absent and let us know about your closing exercises and any other matter of interest. We want the news about your school.

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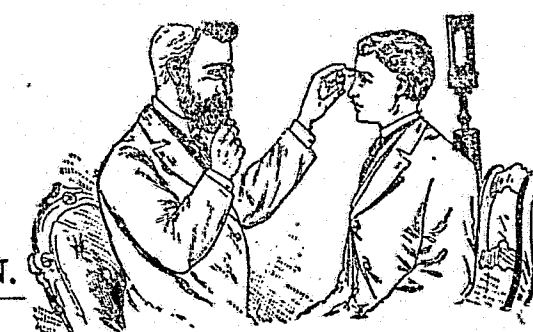
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They have the correct colorings.

The quality is full standard, and the prices are right.

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